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SUBJ: EXPRESSION OF US DISAPPOINTMENT OVER AFGHAN GUAM VOTE

REF: A) KABUL 8904, B) STATE 297268

1. EMBASSY SENT TO AFGHAN FOREIGN MINISTRY DECEMBER 9
DIPLOMATIC NOTE CONCERNING USG DISAPPOINTMENT OVER AFGHAN
SUPPORT OF ITEM 25 IN PLENARY DECEMBER 1. TEXT OF NOTE, MINUS
COMPLIMENTARY OPENING AND CLOSE, GIVEN IN PARA 2.

2. QUOTE AS THE MINISTRY WILL RECALL FROM EMBASSY
REPRESENTATIONS ON THE GUAM ISSUE BOTH THIS YEAR
AND IN 1975, THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BELIEVES
THAT THE ISSUE OF THE PRESENCE OF U.S. BASES ON
GUAM IS A MATTER WELL BEYOND THE COMPETENCE OF THE
GENERAL
ASSEMBLY, AND REJECTS THE CONTENTION THAT
THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER OR RESOLUTION 1514 (XV)
LIMITS OR RESTRICTS THE AUTHORITY OF ADMINISTERING
POWERS TO MAINTAIN BASES IN NON-SELF-GOVERNING
TERRITORIES.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAS DIS-
APPOINTED TO BE INFORMED THAT THE AFGHAN DELEGATION
AT THE UNITED NATIONS SAW FIT TO SUPPORT THIS
HOSTILE RESOLUTION IN BOTH THE FOURTH COMMITTEE VOTE
ON NOVEMBER 25, 1976 AND, DESPITE A PERSONAL DEMARCHE BY
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THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, IN THE PLENARY SESSION ON DECEMBER 1,

1976. SHOULD THE ISSUE ONCE AGAIN BE RAISED IN NEXT YEAR'S UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THE EMBASSY HOPES THE MINISTRY WILL RE-EXAMINE ITS POSITION TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE RESOLUTION IS COMPLETELY IN ACCORD WITH THE VIEW OF THE GOVERNMENT OF AFGHANISTAN CONCERNING THE ROLE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE PACIFIC REGION. UNQUOTE.

3. CHARGE' ALSO SENT PERSONAL NOTE WITH COPY OF DIPNOTE TO DIRECTOR GENERAL TO UNDERLINE EMBASSY'S UNHAPPINESS.
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